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POPULAR ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA
FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

AUDITOR/CONTROLLER-RECORDER MESSAGE

I am pleased to present San Bernardino County's Popular Annual Financial Report (PAFR) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007.

The goal of this report is to increase public awareness of San Bernardino County finances by providing financial information that is understandable to the average citizen. I invite you to share any questions, concerns, or comments you may have.

Financial data in this report is derived from the County's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR), and it conforms with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP). The economic,

demographic and other data are derived from various other unrelated sources.

For more in-depth knowledge I also encourage you to review San Bernardino County's CAFR, which is available at the Auditor/Controller-Recorder's office located at 222 Hospitality Lane, San Bernardino CA 92415, and on-line at www.sbcounty.gov/acr.



Larry Walker, Auditor/Controller-Recorder

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2006-2007

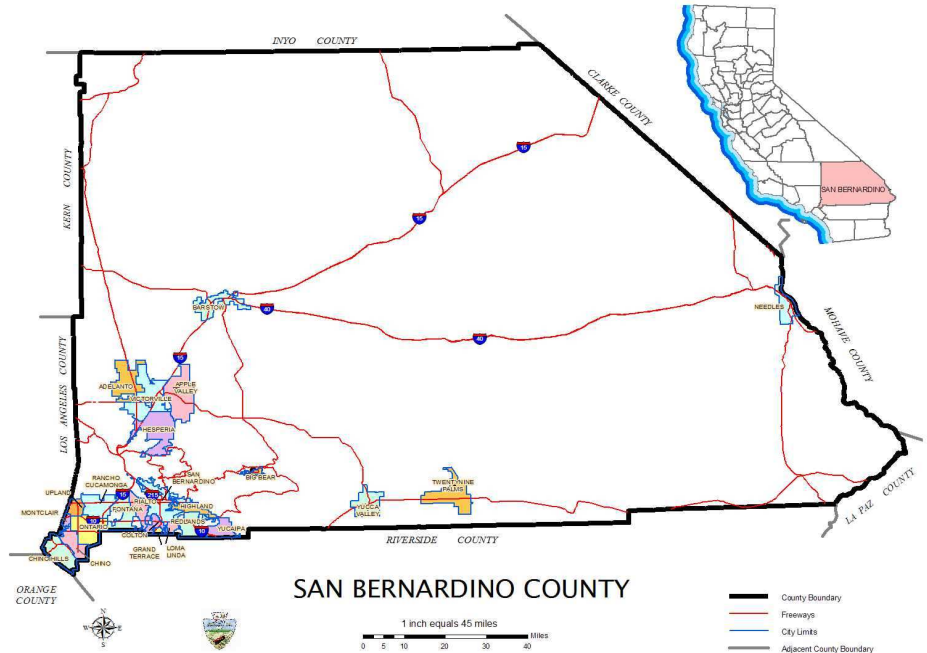
- The county has net assets of \$2 billion, an increase of \$300 million or 17% as compared to last fiscal year.
- County funds reported combined fund balances of \$1 billion, an increase of 15% in comparison with the prior year.
- Unreserved fund balance for the general fund was \$431 million or 23% of total general fund expenditures.
- Total long-term debt decreased by \$24 million, or a decrease of 1% in comparison with the prior year.

Joshua Tree National
Park



COUNTY OVERVIEW

San Bernardino County, which lies northeast of Los Angeles and Orange Counties, north of Riverside County and south of Kern County, covers an area of more than 20,164 square miles. It is the largest county in the United States. It contains 24 incorporated cities and towns. About 90 percent of the county is desert; the remainder consists of the San Bernardino Mountains and the San Bernardino Valley. Popular attractions in the County include the San Bernardino National Forest, Joshua Tree National Park, Death Valley National Park, and the East Mojave Scenic Area. San Bernardino County along with Riverside County makes up a region known as “The Inland Empire” which is one of the fastest growing metropolitan areas in the United States.



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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the government of the County of San Bernardino is to satisfy its customers by providing service that promotes the health, safety, well being, and quality of life of its residents according to the County Charter, general laws, and the will of the customers it serves.



CalPoly Pomona

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK

San Bernardino County continues to be one of the fastest growing and most populous counties in the State, ranking fourth after Los Angeles, Orange, and San Diego counties. While businesses continue to relocate to San Bernardino County for its available land, families are drawn by relatively affordable housing, as compared to neighboring Los Angeles and Orange Counties.

The County continued to have another year of expansion and growth in 2006. Major economic indicators for job creation, income, retail sales and spending, and construction. San Bernardino County's labor force numbered 884,100 in 2006, an increase of 22,300 or 2.6 percent from the previous year.

Sales of new and existing homes in San Bernardino County continued to rise in 2006 due to the increased demand for housing in the region. This has clearly shifted in 2007, as tightening credit markets and six years of unprecedented real estate gains have now reached a point of market correction. However, unlike prior housing downturns, this event is unrelated to job losses or other economic concerns. San Bernardino County remains one of the top-rated destinations for business, proven by continuing strong results in office, industrial and retail real estate.



Ontario Mills

Between September 2006 and September 2007, the median price of a single family home in the County decreased 11 percent from \$365,000 to \$325,000. Between January 2000 and September 2006, the price rose dramatically from \$124,000 to \$365,000.

With the expansion of many businesses and the influx of new families into San Bernardino County, educational institutions continue to advance the knowledge of the citizenry. Intercollegiate collaboration has created a diverse labor force that is comprised of a wide range of talent and skill levels. The Metrolink commuter rail service links San Bernardino County commuters with other rail and bus lines in the Los Angeles and Orange County areas—thereby allowing most of Southern California to benefit from the County's proficient workforce. The County's diverse labor force is one of its greatest economic assets, second only to its strategic location that is supported by a superb transportation network.

San Bernardino County's overall economy is sustained through its outstanding transportation network that includes LA/Ontario International Airport, Southern California Logistics Airport, two major transcontinental railroads with intermodal facilities and classification yards, and many miles of quality interstate highways. The region's strategic location allows logistics operations to be positioned within close proximity of the west's two largest ports: Los Angeles and Long Beach. Businesses located within the County effectively and efficiently serve markets throughout California, the Western US, and the Pacific Rim. Ensuring the County's role as a major transportation center is its desirable Southern California location that allows for the many cargo carriers entering or leaving California to pass through San Bernardino County on their way to the world.

A progressive approach to business and education, an attractive Southern California location, an unprecedented transportation network and one of the last sources of affordable and available land within the greater Los Angeles area assure San Bernardino County's economic viability's in the 21st century.



Yucca Valley

National Magazine points out Yucca Valley as a top-10 place to retire

The Press Enterprise, June 9, 2007

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

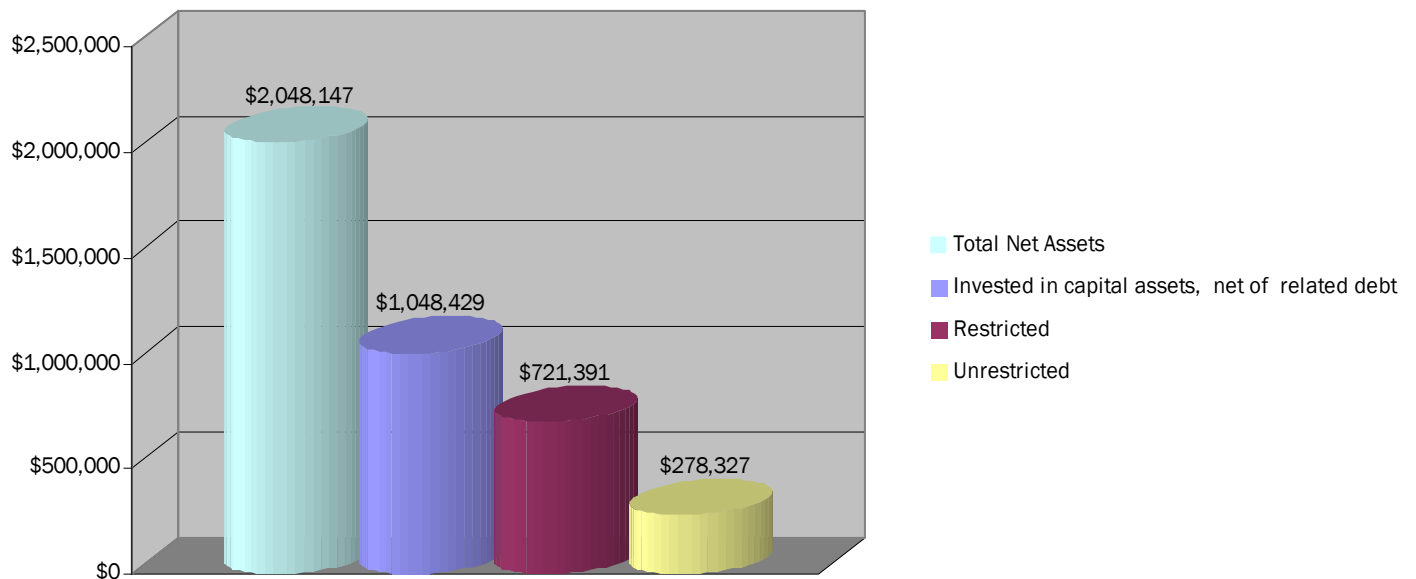
As of June 30, 2007, the County's net assets totaled \$2 billion, an increase of \$300 million or 17% from the previous year.

	2007	2006	Variance
Current and other assets	\$ 2,626,395	\$ 2,423,543	8%
Capital assets	1,947,008	1,847,340	5%
Total assets	4,573,403	4,270,883	7%
Current and other liabilities	254,749	228,517	12%
Long-term Liabilities	2,270,507	2,294,103	-1%
Total liabilities	2,525,256	2,522,620	0%
Net assets:			
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	1,048,429	934,582	12%
Restricted, as restated	721,391	617,927	17%
Unrestricted	278,327	195,754	42%
Total Net Assets	\$ 2,048,147	\$ 1,748,263	17%

The Statement of Net Assets presents information on all of the County's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net assets. Over time, an increase or decrease in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the County's financial position is improving or deteriorating.

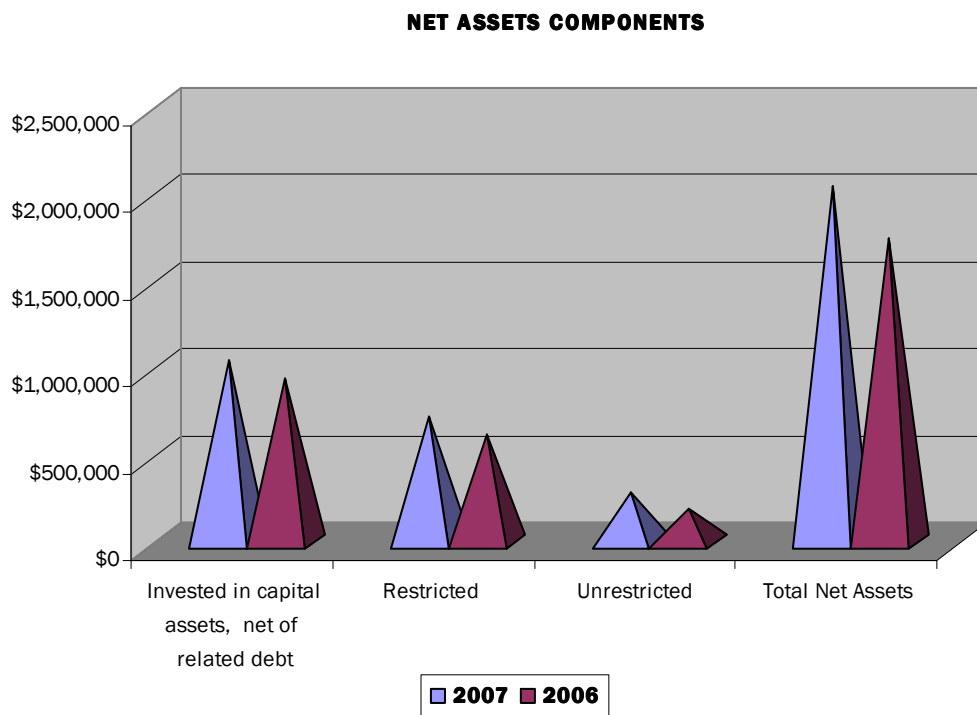
The information on this schedule is derived from the County's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR), which is presented in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), and contains more information.

NET ASSETS



NET ASSETS COMPONENTS

(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)



- The largest component of the County's net assets, about 51% or \$1,048,429 was **invested in capital assets, less any related outstanding debt**, used to acquire those assets. Even though the County's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, the capital assets themselves cannot be used to pay the County's debt, and so the resources needed to pay these liabilities must be provided from other resources.
- The second component of the County's net assets is **restricted net assets**. Restricted means that these resources are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. External restrictions include those imposed by grantors, laws/regulations of other governments, or restrictions imposed by law through constitutional provision or legislation, including those passed by the County itself. Total restricted net assets is \$721,391.
- The last component of net assets is **unrestricted net assets**. Unrestricted net assets are resources that the County may use to meet its ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors. Total unrestricted net assets is \$278,327.

CAPITAL ASSETS

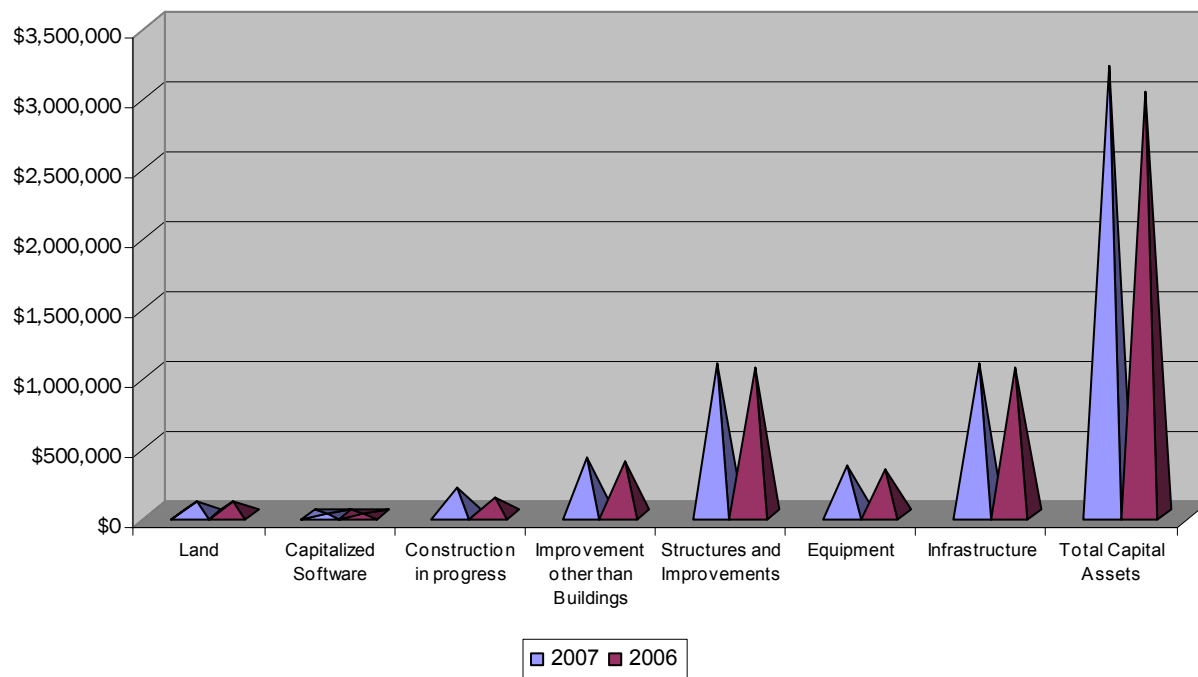
(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

As of June 30, 2007, the County's capital assets totaled \$3.2 billion, an increase of \$173 million or 6% from the previous year.

Capital Assets	2007	2006	Variance
Land	\$ 89,471	\$ 85,806	4%
Capitalized Software	7,662	6,759	13%
Construction in Progress	188,344	127,195	48%
Improvement other than Buildings	404,586	371,345	9%
Structures and Improvements	1,074,625	1,056,417	2%
Equipment	355,737	324,536	10%
Infrastructure	1,081,835	1,056,716	2%
Total Capital Assets	\$ 3,202,260	\$ 3,028,774	6%

Capital assets includes land, software, construction in progress, improvement other than buildings, structures and improvements, equipment and infrastructure, that are used to provide service to the citizens of the County.

CAPITAL ASSETS



DEBT INSTRUMENTS

Certificates of Participation are long-term debt instruments that are repaid from the County's general revenue sources.

General Obligation Bonds are long-term debt instruments that are repaid from the County's general revenue sources. They are backed by the full faith and credit of the County.

Revenue Bonds are issued to pay for the County's unfunded pension obligation liability.

Long-Term Loans are debt instruments issued by the County for various public works projects.

Capital Lease Obligations are contracts made by the County's departments for the acquisition of assets such as copiers, mail machines, and so forth. The departments pay for these contracts from their annual budgets.

SUMMARY OF DEBT OBLIGATIONS (AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

As of June 30, 2007, the County's long term debt totaled \$2.3 billion. This decrease of \$24 million or 1% from the previous year, is a result of the county's conscious effort to minimize the amount of outstanding debt necessary to fulfill its infrastructure and economic development responsibilities, and maintain the County's ability to incur debt at minimal interest rates in adherence to established debt policies .

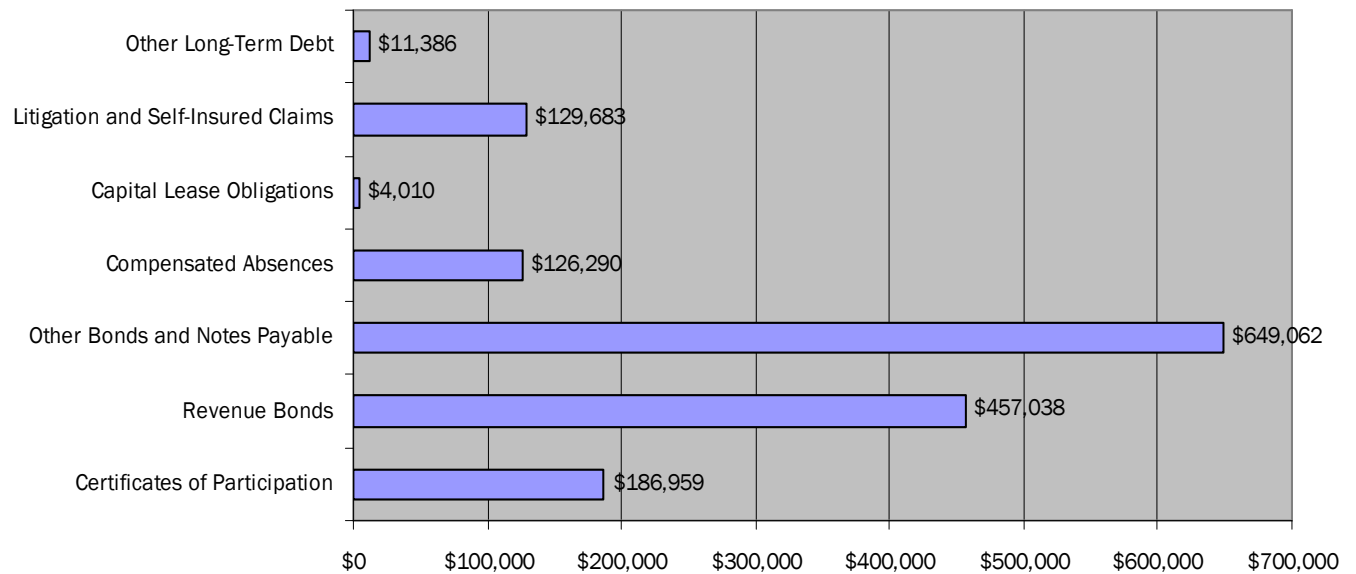
Governmental Activities	2007	2006	Variance
Certificates of Participation, net	\$ 186,959	\$ 200,528	-7%
Revenue Bonds, net	457,038	439,879	4%
Other Bonds and Notes	649,062	522,835	24%
Compensated Absences	126,290	116,562	8%
Capital Lease Obligation	4,010	3,889	3%
Estimated Liability for Litigation and Self -Insured Claims	129,683	127,233	2%
Special Item: Litigation Settlement Payable	-	102,000	-100%
Other Long-Term Liabilities	11,386	27,345	-58%
Total Governmental Activities - Long-term Liabilities	\$ 1,564,428	\$ 1,540,271	2%
Business-type Activities			
Certificates of Participation, net	\$ 589,367	\$ 618,099	-5%
General Obligation Bonds	1,815	1,930	-6%
Notes	6,399	6,905	-7%
Compensated Absences	9,943	8,729	14%
Capital Lease Obligation	4,136	2,438	70%
Estimated Liability for Closure/ Postclosure Care Costs	94,419	115,731	-18%
Total Business-type Activities - Long-term Liabilities	\$ 706,079	\$ 753,832	-6%
Total County Debt	\$ 2,270,507	\$ 2,294,103	-1%

Governmental Activities are functions of the County that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues

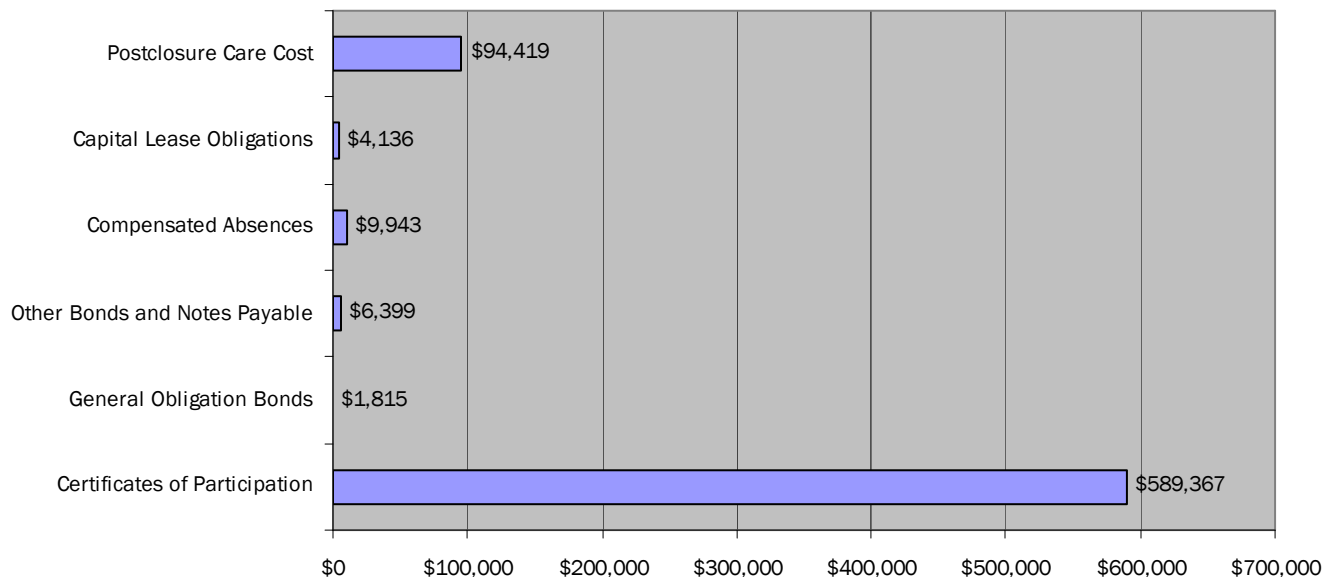
Business-type Activities are functions of the County that are intended to recover all or part of their costs through user fees and charges

LONG-TERM DEBT
(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
LONG-TERM DEBT: \$ 1,564,428



BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES
LONG-TERM DEBT: \$706,079



STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

The Statement of Activities provides information on the County's revenues and expenses, with the difference between the two reported as net assets. As of June 30, 2007, the County's revenues totaled \$3.1 billion, an increase of \$274 million from the previous year, and expenses totaled \$2.8 billion, an increase of \$161 million from the previous year.

	2007	2006	% of Total
REVENUES			
Program Revenues:			
Charges for Services	\$ 829,925	\$ 758,798	27
Operating and Capital Grants/Contributions	1,385,726	1,308,478	44
General Revenues:			
Property Taxes	495,333	431,846	15
Public Safety Tax	150,903	140,855	5
Other Taxes	90,107	85,096	3
Unrestricted Revenues from Use of Money and Property	90,674	67,584	3
Miscellaneous	86,857	63,169	3
Total Revenues	3,129,525	2,855,826	100
EXPENSES			
General Government	153,438	137,092	5
Public Protection	844,036	764,154	30
Public Ways and Facilities	67,254	73,014	2
Health and Sanitation	273,143	241,795	10
Public Assistance	802,043	817,924	28
Education	18,106	17,612	1
Recreation and Cultural Services	24,899	19,355	1
Interest on Long Term Debt	83,260	75,350	3
Medical Center	477,814	430,460	17
Waste Systems	53,320	69,320	2
Other	31,504	21,463	1
Total Expenses	2,828,817	2,667,539	100
Excess (Deficit) before Special Items and Transfers	300,708	188,287	
Special Item - Eminent Domain Settlement	1,676	-	
Special Item - Gain on Sale of Surplus Land	-	28,230	
Special item - Litigation Settlement	(2,500)	(102,000)	
Increase in Net Assets	299,884	114,518	
Net Assets – Beginning of Year	1,748,263	1,633,746	
Net Assets – End of Year	\$ 2,048,147	\$ 1,748,263	

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Revenues are monies the County receives from a variety of sources to pay for the services it provides.

Expenses are the amounts spent to provide services to citizens.

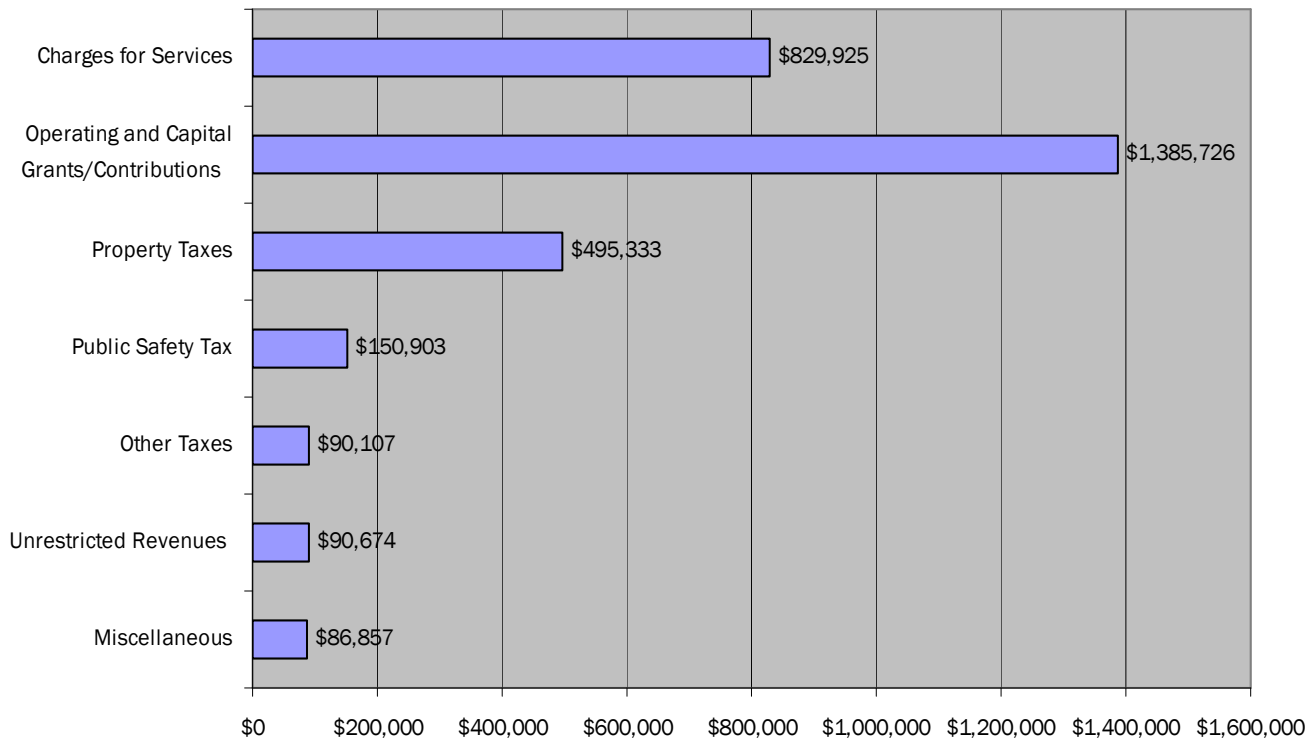
What is the plan for \$3.9 billion proposed budget for fiscal year 2007-08?

The Sun, May 29, 2007

FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

REVENUES FOR 2007: \$3,129,525



Program Revenues include:

Charges for services are revenues generated from licenses, permits, other fees, fines, forfeitures, and charges paid by the recipients of goods and services offered by County programs.

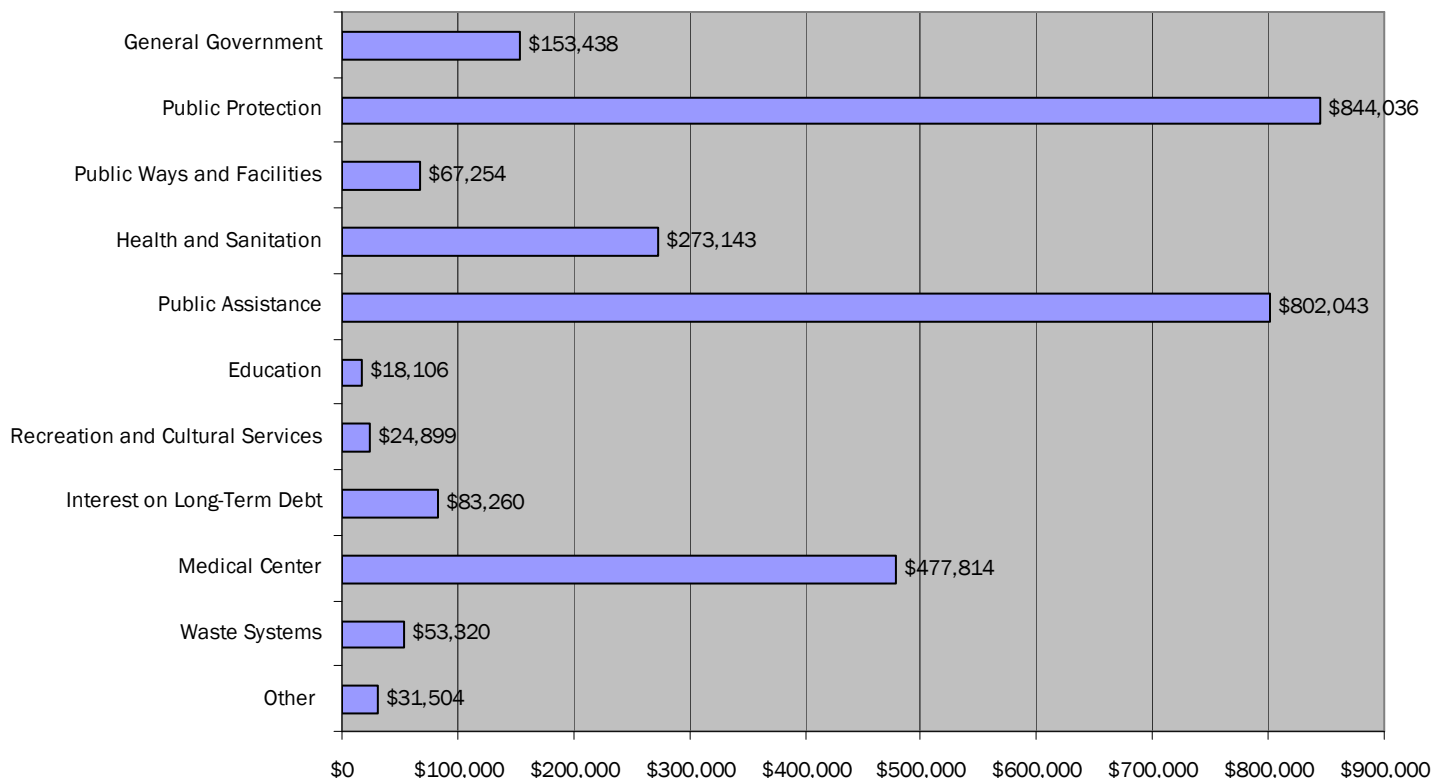
Operating/Capital grants and contributions represent grants and contributions received from other governments, organizations and individuals that are restricted in some manner; and investment earnings that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program.

General Revenues are those revenues that are not classified as program revenues. All taxes, even those that are levied for a specific purpose, are considered general revenues.

FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

EXPENSES FOR 2007: \$2,828,817



General Government expenses are costs incurred for the County's administrative offices, including the Board of Supervisors, County Administrative Office, Auditor/Controller-Recorder, Treasurer-Tax Collector, and Assessor.

Public Protection expenses are costs incurred for the judicial and public safety activities of the County, including Trial Courts, District Attorney, Public Defender, Sheriff, Coroner, Probation, Flood Control and Land Use Services.

Public Ways and Facilities expenses are costs incurred to maintain county roads, bridges, and airports.

Health and Sanitation expenses are costs incurred by the various health departments, including Public Health, Behavioral Health, Alcohol and Drug Prevention, and California Children's Services.

Education expenses are costs of the County Library and County Superintendent of Schools.

Public Assistance expenses are costs for Welfare Aid Programs, Economic Development, Aging and Adult Services, Jobs and Employment Services, and Veterans Affairs.

Recreation and Cultural Services expenses are costs related to the County Museum, Regional Parks, and Glen Helen Amphitheatre.

Interest on Long Term Debt accounts for interest payments made on County debt.

Medical Center expenses are costs incurred to operate the County Hospital.

Waste Systems expenses are costs to operate the County landfills.

Other expenses are costs to operate the County's other enterprise funds.

County shows gains against street gangs .

The Sun, January 1, 2007

PROPERTY VALUES AND TAX COLLECTIONS

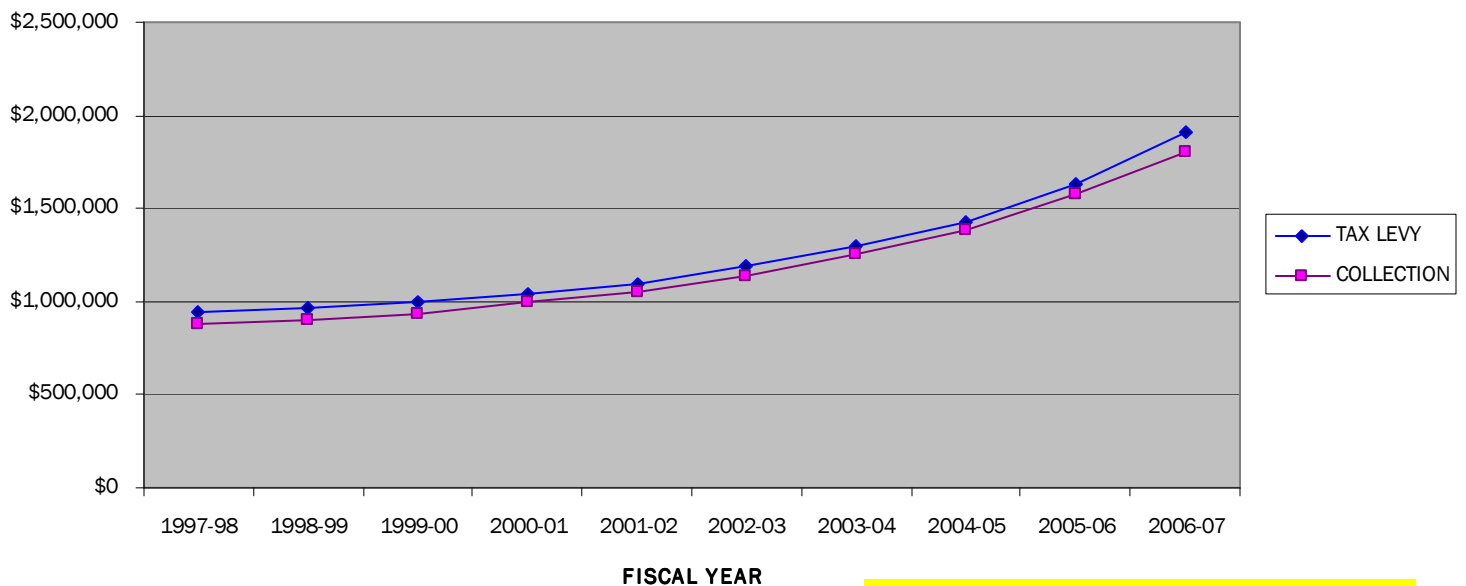
(AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

FISCAL YEAR	TAX LEVY AMOUNT	COLLECTIONS		DELINQUENCY	
		AMOUNT (1)	PERCENT	AMOUNT	PERCENT
1997-98	\$ 940,414	\$ 874,882	93.0	\$ 65,532	7.0
1998-99	\$ 970,426	\$ 906,204	93.4	\$ 64,222	6.6
1999-00	\$ 995,499	\$ 938,047	94.2	\$ 57,452	5.8
2000-01	\$ 1,044,654	\$ 995,354	95.3	\$ 49,300	4.7
2001-02	\$ 1,095,919	\$ 1,051,265	95.9	\$ 44,653	4.1
2002-03	\$ 1,187,114	\$ 1,139,679	96.0	\$ 47,435	4.0
2003-04	\$ 1,297,403	\$ 1,257,459	96.9	\$ 39,943	3.1
2004-05	\$ 1,430,975	\$ 1,379,658	96.4	\$ 51,317	3.6
2005-06	\$ 1,635,460	\$ 1,576,842	96.4	\$ 58,618	3.6
2006-07	\$ 1,908,390	\$ 1,799,062	94.3	\$ 109,328	5.7

(1) Amounts collected by the County on behalf of itself, school districts, cities and special districts.

Source: Auditor/Controller-Recorder, County of San Bernardino.

PROPERTY TAX LEVY AND COLLECTION



County valuation grows 15.9 percent.. Value of all assessed property in San Bernardino County hits a record \$172B.

Victorville Daily Press , July 1, 2007

POPULATION

FISCAL YEAR	(1) COUNTY POPULATION	(1) CALIFORNIA POPULATION	(2) UNITED STATES POPULATION	(3) COUNTY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT	(4) COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
1997-98	1,621,000	33,252,000	270,732,000	357,000	6.3
1998-99	1,654,000	33,773,000	273,630,000	365,000	5.6
1999-00	1,689,000	34,336,000	275,377,000	374,000	4.8
2000-01	1,764,000	34,818,000	276,059,000	383,000	4.6
2001-02	1,784,000	35,037,000	287,170,000	394,000	5.6
2002-03	1,833,000	35,591,000	288,100,000	407,000	5.5
2003-04	1,886,000	36,144,000	294,609,000	419,000	5.9
2004-05	1,946,000	36,810,000	297,518,000	423,000	5.4
2005-06	1,992,000	37,172,000	299,330,000	425,000	4.7
2006-07	2,028,000	39,500,000	301,140,000	428,000	5.7

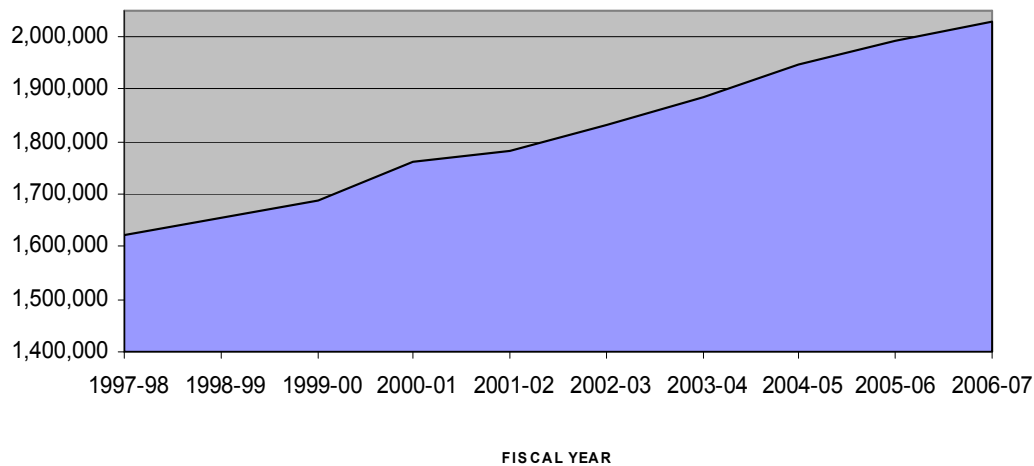
(1) Source: California Department of Finance.

(2) Source: U. S. Census Bureau.

(3) Source: Superintendent of Schools.

(4) Source: California Employment Development Department.

COUNTY POPULATION

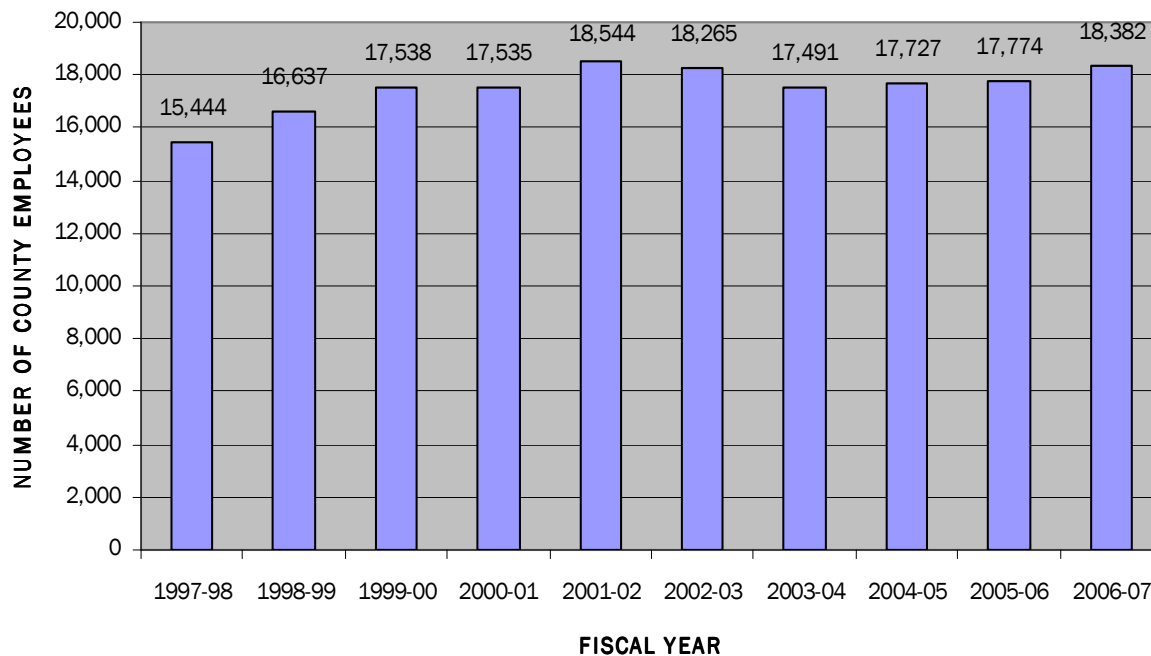


TOP TEN EMPLOYERS

Employer	2007			1998		
	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Employment	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Employment
County of San Bernardino	18,382	1	2.13	16,100	1	2.37
Loma Linda University Adventist Health Services Center	13,000	2	1.51	5,450	2	0.80
San Bernardino City Unified School District	8,574	3	0.99	5,000	5	0.74
Stater Brothers	7,600	4	0.88	5,050	4	0.74
Ontario International Airport	7,510	5	0.87	3,650	6	0.54
Kaiser Permanente	5,682	6	0.66	5,100	3	0.75
Fontana Unified School District	3,953	7	0.46	1,940	8	0.29
San Manuel Band of Mission Indians	3,261	8	0.38	*	*	*
Chino Valley Unified School District	3,200	9	0.37	2,400	7	0.35
California State University San Bernardino	3,012	10	0.35	*	*	*
Total Top Ten Employers	74,174			44,690		
Total County Employments	863,344			680,100		

(*)Data not available

COUNTY EMPLOYEES



Inland Region still adding Jobs. Riverside and San Bernardino Counties report satisfactory rates even in construction.
The Press Enterprise , March 24, 2007

IMPORTANT INFORMATION IN YOUR COUNTY



The Board of Supervisors announced the launch of CountyVision, a new video feature available from the County website to view live and archived meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

<http://www.sbcounty.gov/cob/countyvision.asp>



The Board of Supervisors has adopted a series of measures to help residents, businesses, and the County itself reduce greenhouse gas emissions, reduce waste and make better use of natural resource.

<http://www.greencountysb.com/>



As part of ongoing efforts to provide improved public access to information, the Board of Supervisors is making electronic campaign disclosure filings available to the public via internet.

<http://netfile.com/agency/sbd/>



The County's final budget for 2007-08 was adopted on June 26, 2007. The final budget continues to focus County resources on public safety, capital improvements, economic development, and planning for the future.

<http://www.sbcounty.gov/budget0708/>



Taxpayers with property damaged by the recent fires in October 2007 are entitled to tax relief if the damages exceed \$10,000. Use the link below to find out more.

http://www.mytaxcollector.com/_content/TR/Oct2007FireDamageFAQ.pdf



The goal of the Human Resource department is to make the County of San Bernardino the "Employer of Choice". To learn more, or to apply for an open position with the County go to the Human Resource website using the following link:

<http://www.sbcounty.gov/hr/>



California State University, San Bernardino was founded in 1965, with annual enrollments of more than 16,000, the university has five academic colleges offering more than 70 degrees and certificates. Many programs have earned specialized national accreditation, including Business which was the first in the Inland Empire to gain national accreditation in both the graduate and undergraduate levels.

http://www.csusb.edu/a_home.asp



PAFR AWARD

The Government Finance Officers Association of The United States and Canada has given an Award for the Outstanding Achievement in Popular Annual Financial reporting to the County of San Bernardino, California for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006. This prestigious national award recognizes conformance with the highest standards for the preparation of state and local governments popular report. To receive this award a government must publish a Popular Annual Financial Report whose contents conform to program standards of creativity, presentation, understandability, and reader appeal. An Award for Outstanding Achievement in Popular Annual Financial Reporting is valid for only one year. We believe our current report continues to conform to the Popular Annual Financial Reporting requirements and we are submitting it to the Government Finance Officers Association for evaluation.

**Award for
Outstanding
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California**

for the Fiscal Year Ended

June 30, 2006



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MAJOR EVENTS OF 2006-2007

On August 27, 2007, San Bernardino County became a state leader in environmental protection when Board of Supervisors Chairman Paul Biane (right) announced the Green County San Bernardino initiative. The program creates incentives for builders and homeowners who incorporate environmentally friendly elements into their projects, and requires County building efforts to meet tough environmental standards.



On February 8, 2007, San Bernardino County officials and local school children broke ground on the Hall of Geologic Wonders at the San Bernardino County Museum in Redlands. The 12,000 –square-foot facilities is scheduled to open in the Fall of 2008.

On October 2007, wind-driven wildfires broke out in several Southern California locations, including the San Bernardino mountains. In addition to fighting the fires and conducting the safe evacuation of mountain residents, San Bernardino County agencies quickly established a local Assistance Center housing more than 40 agencies to provide assistance to fire victims. Supervisor Josie Gonzales gave Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger a tour of the center.



In February 2007 the County of San Bernardino served as the title sponsor of the San Bernardino County 200 NASCAR Craftsman Truck Series race at the California Speedway near Fontana. Board of Supervisors Chairman Paul Biane (left) and Supervisor Brad Mitzelfelt (right) congratulated race winner Mike Skinner following the event. The race was televised live across the country, giving the county's economic development efforts national exposure.

Government's response to the fires burning across Southern California has been exemplary on just about every level